MINUTES OF THE STANDING COMMITTEE ON TRANSPORTATION

Tuesday, May 23, 2006

9:00 a.m.

Room 307 House Office Building, Lansing

Representative LaJoy, Chair, called the meeting to order.

MEMBERS PRESENT: Representatives LaJoy, Gosselin, Meyer, Casperson, Nitz, Wenke, Moore, Pavlov, Pearce, Anderson, Byrnes, Kathleen Law, Gleason. (13/17)
ABSENT/EXCUSED: Representatives David Law, Leland, Condino, Tobocman. (4/17)

Representative Meyer made a motion to adopt the minutes of the meeting of May 16, 2006, supported by Representative Nitz. No objections being offered, a unanimous ballot was cast to accept the minutes as presented.

Representative Wenke made a motion to adopt the minutes of the meeting of May 18, 2006, supported by Representative Pearce. No objections being offered, a unanimous ballot was cast to accept the minutes as presented.

The Chair laid SB 1182 before the Committee.

SB 1182 Gilbert

Transportation; funds; local limitation on transfer of funds from major street system to local street system; increase.

David Worthams, representing Senator Gilbert, spoke to the Committee regarding SB 1182 and answered questions.

The following individuals also spoke to the Committee regarding SB 1182:

Joe Fivas, representing the Michigan Municipal League, in support Ron DeCook, representing the Michigan Department of Transportation (MDOT), in support

Mike Nystrom, representing the Michigan Infrastructure Transportation Association (MITA), submitted a card indicating support for SB 1182.

Representative Pearce made a motion to amend SB 1182 as follows, supported by Representative Moore:

1. Amend page 8, line 24, after "street system." by inserting "A CITY OR VILLAGE THAT HAS ADOPTED AN ASSET MANAGEMENT PLAN UNDER SUBSECTION 6 MAY COMBINE THEIR LOCAL AND MAJOR STREET FUNDS INTO ONE FUND AND MAY SUBMIT A SINGLE REPORT TO THE DEPARTMENT ON THE USE OF THESE FUNDS.".

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FAVORABLE ROLL CALL:

Yeas: Representatives LaJoy, Gosselin, Meyer, Casperson, Nitz, Wenke, Moore, Pavlov, Pearce, Anderson, Byrnes, Kathleen Law, Gleason. (13/17)

Nays: None. (0/17)

Pass: None. (0/17) (13/0/0)

A sufficient number of members voting in the affirmative, the motion prevailed.

Representative Nitz made a motion to report SB 1182 (H-2) with recommendation, supported by Representative Moore.

FAVORABLE ROLL CALL:

Yeas: Representatives LaJoy, Gosselin, Meyer, Casperson, Nitz, Wenke, Moore, Pavlov, Pearce, Anderson, Byrnes, Kathleen Law, Gleason. (13/17)

Nays: None. (0/17)

Pass: None. (0/17) (13/0/0)

A sufficient number of members voting in the affirmative, the motion prevailed.

Representative Meyer made a motion to excuse absent members, supported by Representative Byrnes. No objections being offered, absent members were excused.

The Chair stated that SB 870 and HB 6075, which were listed on the Committee agenda for this meeting, will be taken up at a future date.

There being no additional business before the Committee, Chair LaJoy declared the meeting adjourned, the time being 9:40 a.m.

Representative Philip LaJoy, Chair

Catherine Petroskey, Committee Clerk (517) 373-8538